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WILL MEET IN CAUCUS.

**Plan of Republican Senators to
Consider Tariff.**

A LIMITATION FOR DEBATE.

**It is the Desire to Agree Upon the Time
For Discussion, Which Can Only
Be Done by Mutual Consent.**

Washington News.

**Washington, May 22.—The Republi-
can senators will hold a caucus Monday
to consider the tariff bill. The first
effort will be to devise plans to expedite
the consideration of the bill and then
will also be an attempt to reconcile
differences of opinion as to the
merits of some features.**

**Some of the schedules are objectionable
to many of the senators and it is
thought advisable to settle such differ-
ences in caucus rather than in the senate.**

**The principal object of the caucus,
however, is to agree upon a plan for
the limitation of the time for debate
and under the present rules this can
only be done by mutual consent. What
the tariff leaders will first attempt is
to secure an agreement among Republi-
can senators to restrain any desire
they may have for general speeches
and thus throw the responsibility for
delay upon the opposition. So far as
agreed upon the program is to have
Senator Aldrich make his statement
on Monday or Tuesday of next week
and to follow this by immediately
taking up the schedules and making no
set speeches on the Republican side of
the chamber.**

**There are now indications that the
debate may not be so greatly pro-
longed as at first seemed probable.**

**The Democrats, Populists and Silver
Republicans will aver that they will
consume no unnecessary time with
speeches.**

**The Democrats profess to be es-
pecially anxious that there should be
no delay. The Democrats will also
hold a caucus soon to decide upon a
line of action, especially on the sub-
jects of amendments.**

**A Democratic member of the finance
committee expressed the opinion that a
month would be sufficient time for
debate.**

**A number of wool commission men
from Philadelphia were at the Capitol
seeing members of the finance commit-
tee to secure a revocation of the com-
mittee's action in lowering the rates
on first and second class wools.**

The Cuban Resolution.

Washington, May 22.—No official in-

**formation could be obtained as to
what action the house may take on the
Cuban resolution passed by the senate,
but it was understood that Speaker**

**Reed would have a conference with the
president on the subject at an early**

**day and no action would be taken until
after that conference. The infer-**

**ence was that the action of the house
managers would be guided to a large**

extent by the results of the conference.

**It is probable that some attempt will
be made on the part of the Democrats
to have the resolution considered
as soon as it reaches the house, but
this can not be done except by unani-**

mous consent, which will not be given.

The Full Reply.

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**tive Thomas H. Tongue of Oregon was
struck by a cable car and painfully in-
jured near the corner of Pennsylvania
avenue and Sixth street. He received a
number of severe cuts and bruises.**

**Mr. Tongue had just returned from a
trip with a number of senators and
representatives to Charlottesville and
Monticello.**

The Duke of Tetuan Resigns.

**Madrid, May 22.—The Duke of Tetuan,
minister of foreign affairs, has
resigned as a result of the incident in
the senate when he boxed the ears of
Senator Comas. Senator Comas, the
prime minister, will take the portfolio ad interim.**

**The liberal senators have de-
cided to attend no more sessions of the
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accorded to Senator Comas and the
Liberal party by the Duke of Tetuan.**

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**Pittsburgh, May 22.—The Association
of Baptist Foreign Missionaries met**

and elected the following officers:

**President, Rev. R. M. Luther, Burmuda;
Vice Presidents, Dr. H. M. Bixby, Bur-**

**mah, and Rev. W. H. Grossum, Pekin;
Secretary and Treasurer, Truman John-
son, Burmuda.**

Close at Newport.

**Cincinnati, May 22.—Three favorites
and the same number of second
choices divided the purses at Newport.
The attendance was 3,000. The meet-
ing now closes after 45 days of racing.
Latonia opens on May 26 for a 30 day
meet.**

SERIOUS CHARGES

**Are Preferred Against President Johnson
of the Logansport Bank.**

**Logansport, Ind., May 22.—The gen-
eral financial condition in the bank fall-
ure are coming to light.**

**At 3:30 p. m. Bank Examiner Cald-
well swore out an affidavit charging
John F. Johnson, president of the State
National bank, with embezzlement,
misappropriation of funds and with in-
tention to deceive and defraud the bank
and the bank examiner.**

**Forgery is also charged to President
Johnson and the examiner thinks that
the amount will run up to \$20,000. He
is alleged to have embezzled \$100,000 of
bank funds, \$61,500 of which was con-
cealed in the certificate of deposit, and
\$40,000 in the individual ledger. The
arrest will likely take place immediate-
ly. Every avenue of escape has, it is
said, been cut off by the watchful depu-
ty United States marshal.**

**President Johnson is charged with
forging the names of prominent busi-
ness men to a total of 30 notes repre-
senting \$20,000. The money was sec-
retly borrowed from the funds of the
bank.**

PANIC AT ATHENS.

**Many of the Inhabitants Fear the Turks
Are Coming.**

**Paris, May 22.—The Athens corre-
spondent of The Journal, referring to
the recent defeat of the Greeks, tele-
graphs:**

**"The stupor and panic caused by the
latest defeat is intense. The people
seem to expect the immediate arrival
of the Turks at Athens. On all sides
families are preparing to go to the
islands, anxious crowds parade the
streets and there is the wildest excite-
ment everywhere."**

**I learn that some shots were fired
at the crown prince as he endeavored to
stay the confusion. Two Greek bat-
talions were seized with panic and the
retreating soldiers, on entering Lamia
could not be restrained by their offi-
cers. They shouted: 'The Turks are
coming.' The panic which resulted was
increased by the jailbirds who had
been released and caused disorder
throughout the town."**

History of a Stolen Horse.

**Ravenna, O., May 22.—C. R. Page of
Streetsboro, has learned what became of**

**a valuable horse stolen from him 13
years ago. He has received a letter from
a woman in Niles who stated that her
husband had confessed to the theft
when he was dying. At the time the
horse was stolen another man was ar-
rested. He proved an alibi. Mr. Page**

**was informed in the letter that the
horse had been sold to a man living
near Lodi by the name of Ellis. Tracing
the story out, he learned that the
missing animal and the man who had
bought it were killed in a railroad ac-
cident.**

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CHURCH CONFERENCES.

The Deliberations of Religious Denominations.

HISTORIC GAVEL IS GIVEN.

In a neat speech Ex-President Harrison presents Moderator Jackson of Presbyterian Assembly with emblematic wood.

Eagle Lake, Ind., May 22.—This is regarded as one of the most important days of the session of the general assembly. It was opened by the presentation of the gavel to the moderator of General Harrison.

The gavel was composed of hard woods, oak poplar, black walnut, birch and maple. The oak, he said, represented the Calvinistic framework of the church; the poplar the free civil government fostered by the church; the black walnut, not painted nor hidden, stood for the church's love of flesh or individualism; the birch, with drooping branches and clinging leaves, typified the sheltering care of the church for the lamb of God, and the maple, with its message of sweetness stood for the retiring moderator and his sermon.

The various pieces of wood were all historic. The oak was from the first church in Indiana, and from Hanover theological seminary, the mother of McCormick seminary, Chicago. The black walnut was from the first church of Indianapolis. All constituent parts represented first things.

An enthusiast at the close of the speech inquired in a loud tone, "What's the matter with Harrison?" and was greeted by the usual response.

The committee on Presbyterian building, New York, whose report was presented, was appointed a year ago and has made partial reports several reports several times in the interval.

Its conclusions have been awaited with interest. The assembly listened with eagerness through the reading of about 60 octavo pages and showed a desire to hear the whole case. The applause which greeted the speakers was indicative of an agreement with the conclusion of the committee and adverse to the long report of the minority of one, which was presented by Elder McDougall of Cincinnati.

The speech of General Harrison, delivered in the midst of the reading of the minority report was heard with close attention and after another speech on behalf of the committee, the reports went over as unfinished business.

BAPTIST CONFERENCE.

The Report of the Committee on Bible Work.

Pittsburg, May 22.—T. H. Jacobs of Philadelphia conducted devotional exercises at the afternoon session of the Baptist conference.

The report of the committee on Bible work was presented by the chairman, Rev. John Gordon, D. D., of Pennsylvania. It was adopted and in part was as follows:

"Your committee on Bible work would respectfully report that they have examined that portion of the report of the board of managers relating to this subject and heartily approve it.

"It is a matter calling for general congratulation that the society is no longer dependent on any other organization for the Bible in the various versions, but is now issuing under its own imprint various editions of this version. We rejoice to know that thus far the venture has been remarkably successful."

Dr. Gorder followed the reading of the report with an address of great power.

Hon. C. W. Kingsley of Massachusetts, chairman of the committee on finance offered his report. It was in part as follows.

"We find there have been printed during the year 38,592,700 copies of periodicals, an increase of 3,165,000 over the preceding year.

"When we turn to the result of the benevolent department we find the report most gratifying. Here we find a debt of \$14,213 at the opening of the year reduced to \$11,374, or by about \$3,000. The receipts in the Bible and missionary departments for the year from Children's day, Bible day and invested funds amount to \$126,415, the largest in recent years.

United Brethren Conference.

Toledo, La., May 22.—A resolution was adopted by the United Brethren urging that a vigorous effort be made during the coming four years to free United Brethren colleges and other institutions from debt. Rev. H. F. Snape was re-elected editor of The Watchword. Rev. W. M. Weekly was elected church erection secretary and W. J. Shantz business manager of Union Biblical seminary. It was voted that half the money collected for church erection be retained by the annual conference.

Theosophists Close a Deal.

San Diego, Cal., May 22.—Theosophists have closed a deal by which 40 acres of land at Point Loma were added to their holdings which now include more than half a square mile in the choice situation on the bay. Their temple which is to be erected upon this tract will cost at least \$250,000 and improvements contemplated will cost \$150,000 more.

Purchased by a Topeka Man.

Cleveland, May 22.—The only sale of any consequence at the blue ribbon sale was Elmer K. 2223, by Ethan Wilkes, to W. J. Miller of Topeka, Kan. The price paid was \$250.

HEAVY JUDGMENTS Entered In a Chicago Court Against the Auditorium Hotel Manager.

Chicago, May 22.—Judgments in confessio[n] were entered in the superior court against Richard H. Southgate, manager of the Auditorium hotel, for amounts aggregating \$89,191. The judgments were all in favor of New York parties to whom Mr. Southgate became indebted. The debts upon which the judgments are based are personal liabilities of Mr. Southgate.

The executions were placed in the hands of a deputy sheriff who was instructed to serve them upon Mr. Southgate at once. The deputy was instructed to simply make a legal demand for payment and no further instructions were given in regard to a levy at present. The trouble comes through money unpaid on the ground leases of the Hotel Brunswick. Mr. Southgate signed these leases as guarantor, and as the rents have not been paid for some time, the creditors have commenced proceedings against him.

ROBBED AND MURDERED

Prominent Real Estate Man of Pittsburgh Was the Victim.

Pittsburg, May 22.—E. S. Fleischer, a well known real estate man, was robbed and murdered while on his way home shortly after midnight. The deed was committed on the Lincoln avenue bridge, in the East End.

After relieving Fleischer of his money and valuables his assailants threw him over the bridge into the ravine, 90 feet below. When found half an hour later he was still living, but died on his way to the police station.

The murdered man was one of the most prominent secret society men in Allegheny county, being a member of high degree in the Masonic fraternity, Odd Fellows and other organizations.

WILL FIGHT A DUEL.

Madrid, May 22.—The Duke of Tuan and senior Comas have selected seconds as a preliminary to a duel.

The seconds of the Duke of Tuan and Senior Comas have decided that, as the aggressions were reciprocal, a duel is not necessary.

Senior Comas is probably Professor Comas, who in June last in the Spanish senate supported the amendment to the address asking that treaties with the United States might be cancelled on the ground that they were a source of conflict and endangered the peace of Spain and the United States. He made a speech bitterly assailing the United States and welcoming a conflict, which he looked upon as inevitable.

FUTURE JOB OF EUSTIS.

New York, May 22.—James B. Eustis, ex-ambassador to France, and for 12 years a senator from Louisiana, announces his intention of becoming head of the law firm of Jones & Govin of this city. Mr. Eustis (who will sail for this country June 6) will act at times as counsel for both the French and Austrian governments and will especially look after the Cis-Atlantic legal matters of the French steamship company.

THE WETS WIN.

Bettsville, O., May 22.—This village, which has been the scene of a continuous struggle over the question of local option, is just now under control of the "wets."

MAIL BOX ROBBER ARRESTED.

New York, May 22.—Word has been received here of the arrest in London of Charles Fisher, who is wanted for robbing mail boxes in the United States

ON THE DIAMOND.

Winners and Losers in the Great National Game—The Standing

Club.	Won	Lost	P. C.
Baltimore	12	5	.701
Cincinnati	18	7	.720
Pittsburg	15	7	.681
Boston	13	10	.565
Cleveland	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	13	11	.541
Louisville	10	11	.479
Brooklyn	10	13	.444
New York	7	11	.388
Chicago	7	16	.304
Washington	6	15	.285
St. Louis	5	16	.283

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

AT PITTSBURG—R. H. E.

Pittsburg 1 0 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 - 6 14 1

Philadelphia 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 3 - 5 1 3

Batteries—Hawley and Merritt; Orth and Wheeler. Umpire—Burtt

AT LOUISVILLE—R. H. E.

1 2 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 - 6 12 2

Brooklyn 2 0 2 0 2 0 0 * 8 1 2

Batteries—Prater and Wilson, Payne and Grim. Umpire—McDermott.

AT CINCINNATI—R. H. E.

Cincinnati 0 1 1 0 0 0 3 * - 6 0 0

Baltimore 2 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 - 5 1 3

Batteries—Damman, Rhines and Schriver, Holton and Robinson. Umpire—Sheridan.

AT ST. LOUIS—R. H. E.

St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 1 4 1

Boston 0 1 2 2 5 1 0 - 11 1 1

Batteries—Donaldson and Murphy, Nichols and Berger. Umpire—Lynch

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 2; Detroit, 6

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 9; Columbus, 8

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 6; Grand Rapids, 14

At St. Paul—St. Paul, 1; Indianapolis, 19

INTERSTATE LEAGUE.

At Dayton, 5; Fort Wayne, 6

At Mansfield—Mansfield, 8; Youngstown, 1

At Springfield—O—Springfield, 10; Toledo, 5

At Wheeling—Wheeling, 17; New Haven, 16

TORN WINNERS.

At Louisville—Rhodesian Sonfile Yards, Dumont, Official

At St. Louis—Kraum F. C. Rice, Dawn, Linda, Frontier, Icarian

At Detroit—My Maryland, Standish, Jennie June, Pay Belle, Pete Kelly

At Chicago—Pleasanton, Prosthetic

At Cincinnati—W. C. T. Union, Samson, Uncle Jim, Uncle Tom, Sunshine

THE WEATHER.

For West Virginia Fair, warmer, northwesterly winds.

For Ohio fair, warmer variable winds, becoming southerly.

For Indiana Fair, warmer, southerly winds.

WHEN THE COOK LEFT

MRS. NOOLIWEDDE HAD A HEARTBREAKING EXPERIENCE.

Like a Good Housewife, She Prepared Luncheon, but It Put a Bad Taste in George's Mouth. While He Was Gone to the Drug Store Old Friends Called.

She was in tears, and her dearest friend sought to comfort her.

"What is it?" she asked. "Has somebody given a reception and sighted you just when you have a new gown? Or have you the invitation and not the gown?"

"No—neither. Oh, it is something perfectly awful!"

"H'm! I suppose, then, your husband has been treating you badly. Well, as long as he has you might relieve your mind by telling me all about it."

"He hasn't either—I'd just like to see him try it! No, the cook is gone!"

"Pshaw! Is that all? Well, don't cry. I'll stay and help you. Let me see, I used to make a lovely omelet at school. It was cooked in a dustpan. Oh, did I tell you give a dinner party? Hasn't George some nice friends whom he might ask?"

"Yes, he—he has. I wish I had never seen any of them! I wish I had put off the wedding a year! I wish I had let George's old maid aunt come to live with us!"

The visitor looked alarmed. "You haven't any fever, have you, dear? And does your head feel quite right?"

"No, it doesn't. Get me another hand handkerchief, and I'll tell you all about it. Just look at me, will you, and tell me what I look like."

"I'd rather not, dear. You might not like it. I—I suppose you have been trying to clean the soot out of the kitchen chimney, haven't you?"

"No, but I've been trying to cook luncheon. George said he didn't feel quite well after it was over, and he went over to the—the drug store to get something to take a queer taste out of his mouth. I don't see why he need act that way when I had the loveliest roses on the table and other things too!"

"Well, don't be low spirited. We'll manage dinner, and there are lots of intelligence offices in town. We—can buy things ready cooked too."

"I—I don't care. I just don't care for anything. I can never hold up my head again as long as I live."

"You don't mean to say that George took too much of something to take the queer taste out of his mouth?"

"Of course I don't mean anything of the kind, and you are not a true friend if you'd never suggest such a thing—or you'd never suggest such a thing—not in a thousand years."

"Caught it on a nail. They both smiled when they saw me and asked if Mrs. Nooliwedde was at home. I saw they thought I was the maid, and, as I was going to the door, I said, 'I must have got some soap on my face and rubbed it in.' Then the doorknob turned and the door opened."

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- Because it is the most economical, costing less than one cent a cup.

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should be in every home, in every office, in every workshop. A temperance drink, more healthful than ice water, more delightful and satisfying than any other beverage produced.

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LOCAL TIME CARD

Time of departure of trains from various depots at Lima. Corrected 5/18/97.	
P. R. W. & C. R. R.	
Going East Daily.....	7:45 a.m.
" " ex. Sunday.....	8:30 p.m.
" " " " " " "	1:15 p.m.
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" " Limited.....	10:30 p.m.
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Daily ex. Sunday.....	5:30 a.m.
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ARRIVES NORTH.	
Daily ex. Sunday.....	11:25 a.m.
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LIMA NORTHERN.	
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W. V. R. U.	
the ladies of the Relief Union, George A. Taylor Command, are reported to meet in their hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock.	
ELMIRA J. BROWN.	
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STREET TALK.

Day before yesterday a young married couple arrived in this city from Muncie, Ind., and applied to city trustee Maguire for transportation to Urbana, O. The couple hadn't been reached by the wave of prosperity and were compelled to cover a portion of their journey between Muncie and Lima on board a freight train. They were accompanied by a large, homely dog, and after Mr. Maguire had furnished them with two tickets for transportation from here to Wapakoneta, the woman inquired, in an injured tone, "What about the dog?" She said they had had the animal a long time and didn't want to part with him. He was too big to be taken into the passenger coach, so she wanted Mr. Maguire to pay for his dogship's transportation in the baggage car. Mr. Maguire informed them that he was willing to furnish railroad transportation for unfortunate people, but drew the line at dogs, whereupon they left, lamenting the sad parting that seemed inevitable.

"You're not the only corn stalk if you have got big ears," remarked a bicyclist girl to another passenger on the Toledo Detroit excursion last Sunday, and the fellow to whom she addressed the remark hurried into the smoking car.

Geographical Society.

Banner Tent No. 356, K. O. T. M. & Hive No. 43, L. O. T. M., of Lima, will give a geographical social on the evening of June 8th in honor of their sixteenth anniversary. A magnificent programme is being arranged for the occasion. The Opera House Orchestra will furnish music, and the programme will include concert solos, quartettes, sextette duets, recitations, declamations, etc., by the best talent that can be procured. W. H. Leatherman, of Toledo, will address the audience. The geographical supper that will follow the entertainment will be the grandest novelty ever introduced in our city. Everybody invited.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill street, South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for lung trouble. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's Drug Store, northeast corner Main and North streets.

St. Paul in Home.

Many of our citizens do not realize what we have in our city a first class stereopticon, which has been added as an educational feature of the work in Main Street Presbyterian Church. Lectures are given from time to time, a small admission fee being charged, which goes to cover the expense of operating the lantern, which is frequently used on Sabbath evenings to illustrate bible truth. The lecture is to be given next Wednesday evening is wonderfully interesting.

There is some one in almost every neighborhood who is subject to attacks of pain in the stomach or bilious colic. Mr. J. D. Kinney, Warren Center, Pa., used to be troubled in that way. He says: "The attacks were marked by terrible pains, diarrhea and fainting spells. At such times I suffered exceedingly, until I began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, two or three doses of which effected an immediate and lasting cure." For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner: C. W. Heister, Public Square.

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Bobbie—A boy called me a liar today, but you told me never to fight, and so I ran away.

Bingo—That's right, Bobbie, but are you sure that was the reason?

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A dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent an attack of pneumonia, grip or severe cold if taken in time. Cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, LaGrippe, Hoarseness, Difficult Breathing, Inipient Consumption, Asthma or Bronchitis. Gives positive relief in advanced stages of Consumption, Asthma or Bronchitis. Guaranteed. H. F. Vortkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

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'Tis Midnight!

Hark! All through the house rings the awful sound, once heard never forgotten, the sound of a child's croup cough. There is no time to lose. Croup is a monster that will not be trifled with. Then is the time that if you have neglected to provide yourself with a bottle of Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine you fully realize how careless and neglectful you have been. It is worth its weight in gold at that critical moment. And yet it costs only 25¢ a bottle at any drug store.

An Early Straw.

"Oh, mamma," murmured Flossie, in a frightened tone, as her dear little baby sister leaned forward and grasped her father's cigar, which she attempted to put in her mouth. "wouldn't it be dreadful if baby turned out to be a new woman?"—Harper's Bazaar.

Rich and poor alike suffer the torments that come with that terrible plague, Itching Piles; rich and poor alike find instant relief and permanent cure in Dr. Hood's Ointment. Your dealer keeps it.

A Household Necessity.

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Don't treat your stomach, liver, kidneys or blood, but look well to your nerves and they will correct the troublesome symptoms of all the organs. Read what Wm. McCutchen, Bucyrus, Ohio, says:

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I tried several kinds of medicine advertised to cure such troubles, but they did me no good. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer was recommended. I knew it would cure me after I had taken the first dose. Natural and refreshing sleep restored the activity of both brain and body, and I was soon well."

Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer does not stimulate the nerves to unusual action. It arrests the waste of nerve tissue and builds up the framework of health.

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SUMMER OUTINGS.

Seashore, Mountain and Lake Resorts.

The principal places of summer sojourn along the Atlantic ocean, in the Alleghenies, the Adirondacks, Catskills and mountains of the east, and in the lake region and northern Michigan and the northwest, may be readily reached over the Pennsylvania lines.

Special information regarding the leading resorts and the advantages enjoyed in journeying to them over the Pennsylvania route has been compiled and printed in convenient form. The matter is profusely illustrated with photographic reproductions of seashore scenes, and includes views at Atlantic City, Cape May, Long Branch and other resorts along the Atlantic coast; also of Creason, Bedford Springs and romantic mountain retreats, and of Petoskey, Mackinac and the summer havens in Michigan and the northwest.

Persons contemplating summer outings will find it a valuable guide in shaping preliminaries.

Copies may be obtained by addressing O. L. Kimball, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O. daw

History on a Watch Face.

Almost the last work of the Belgian astronomer Houzeau, deceased, was an article in which, while arguing in favor of a decimal division of time, he pointed out the origin of the double set of 12 hours represented on our watch and clock faces. The ancient inhabitants of Mesopotamia chose the number 12 as an arithmetical

A "BAR"-GAIN.

When two men wend their way homeward from a temperance lecture, ball game, a sermon, a theatrical performance, or any old place, and stop in some gilded irrigation joint to investigate and they spend a quarter for cough syrup—that's a bar-gain. When you jam the word together and make one word out of it—bargin—that's sign you're thinking of The Lima Clothing Co. That much-abused word, bargain, has a new illustration now, since we commenced "our surprise sale of the year." When you see our \$3.48 men's suits which sold at \$4.90 to \$6.00, or our \$4.98 men's suits, which were \$6.50 to \$8.00, or our \$7.48 men's suits, former price \$8.50 to \$10.00, or our \$9.98 men's suits which were cheap at \$12 to \$15, or when you see the boys' suits which we sell now at 60¢ to \$4.98, you will know what a bargain means and where to get such. There's only one place in Lima.

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DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

Democrats of the 32nd Senatorial District of Ohio will meet in convention at Delphos on Wednesday, May 29th, 1897, at 10 a. m., to nominate two candidates for State Senate.

The committee apportioned the delegates on the basis of one delegate for each 100 votes and one delegate for each fraction of 100 votes.

Under this apportionment, the several counties are entitled to the following number of delegates:

Allen.....14
Auglaize.....14
Darke.....12
Mercer.....14
Panding.....14
Van Wert.....14
Williams.....15
Total.....84

H. A. ARMSTRONG, Chairman.
FLOYD ATCHILL, Secretary.

The Republicans of Gomer are indignant because three Lima Republicans—Messrs. J. W. Hailhill, Will Parmenter and Minor Long are endeavoring to procure the appointment of a Lima Republican for postmaster at Gomer. It appears that they have endorsed his application for the position, which contemplates the calling of the present incum-

LITTLE ENTERTAINERS.

Deisarte Drills and Midget Wedding at Grace Church Last Night.

Thirty-seven pretty little children delighted a splendid audience at Grace M. E. Church last evening in the entertainment projected by Miss Cathryn Baumgardner, of Grace church, and Mrs. Amelia Davis, of the Congregational church, and under the direction of Mrs. Lenore Evans-Crumrine. The entertainment was deserving of a greater patronage, but the audience was an appreciative one and the little entertainers received merited encouragement in the frequent bursts of enthusiastic applause.

Seven little ladies, namely: Misses Lola Baumgardner, Grace Huntley, Emma Shreve, Florence Barker, Pearl Jackson, Bernice Fletcher and Anna Moran executed a series of Deisarte drills and poses, in which they surpassed the expectations of all. Their facial expressions in the poses were excellent, and Mrs. Crumrine is to be congratulated on this, the evidence of her success.

Another feature of the entertainment was the midget wedding, in which thirty tiny children participated. The groom in the mock wedding was Master Leonard, son of Rev. and Mrs. S. Baumgardner, and the charming little bride impersonated by little Miss Mildred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peate.

During the evening a cornet solo was rendered by Mr. Smith, with piano accompaniment by his sister, Miss Laura Smith, and several instrumental selections were executed by members of the "Halcyon Mandolin Club. During the Deisarte poses and drills Miss Bertha Meredith officiated efficiently at the piano.

The entertainment will be given again next Friday evening in the Congregational church.

NAVAL MISHAPS.

We Make Too Much Fuss and Sensation Over Tragedies.

We have a good navy, and we do not appreciate it. As a matter of fact, casualties to our new ironclads and cruisers have not been particularly frequent when their size and their number are considered. In this country every trivial mishap is magnified up and exploited by the sensational newspapers, but nothing is said of similar accidents in foreign navies. Barring the destruction of Admiral Kimberley's fleet by the Samoan hurricane in 1889, which no skill or foresight could have prevented, our naval service for many years has been remarkably free from really serious disasters.

There is nothing in our records to compare with the capsizing of the British frigate Captain with half thousand men in 1870, or the fatal collision of the British ironclads Vanguard and Iron Duke in 1875, or that of the German ironclad Kaiser Wilhelm and Grosser Kurfurst the year following, when 300 men perished, or the loss of the British training ships Eurydice and Atlanta in 1878 and 1880 with 600 officers, sailors and apprentice boys, or the sinking of the British flagship Victoria, with Admiral Tryon, 22 officers and 330 sailors, by collision with the Campden on June 22, 1893, in the Mediterranean, on the wreck of the Spanish cruiser Reina Regente, on March 10, 1895, with 430 officers and seamen.

In the specifications of the legislation asked by the Federation of Labor for the relief of the idle workingmen there is mention of an eight hour law, the reform of the currency, the restriction of immigration and liberal appropriations for internal improvements, but not a word about the protective tariff.

But the error of the workingmen does not stop there. In their remarkable memorial they ask whether the "interests of the trusts, syndicates, monopolies, corporations and moneyed men shall be of more importance than the welfare of the people."

Surely these workingmen are fools and blind if they do not see that the interests of the trusts and syndicates are the interests of the people. Did not the trusts and syndicates save the country in the recent campaign? If millions were not given to the trusts and syndicates, how would the poor get any money? If there were no tariff barons, who would build beautiful memorials for the delectation of the poor?

We have too much confidence in the firmness and patriotism of the Republican statesmen in control of the party to believe that they will be diverted from their high purpose of taxing the country into prosperity by the plea of the workingmen, who do not realize what blessings big taxes are.—St. Louis Republic.

McKinley Evidently Intends to Guard Corporation Interests.

Advices from Washington, seemingly authoritative, are to the effect that Mr. McKinley will elevate Attorney General McKenna to the supreme bench when a vacancy occurs in that body, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Huntington and the Pacific railroad interest have now one judge in the supreme court. They should not be given another, as they will be if McKenna is appointed.

The appointment of McKenna would be a disgrace to the McKinley administration and to the country. McKenna was known at the California bar as a corporation attorney and when on the bench he was known as a corporal judge.

If President McKinley should have the opportunity to change the complexion of the supreme court of the United States, he should do it in a manner favorable to the public right and interests. That tribunal has made several decisions lately that lead to the hope that it may be brought back to the old paths.

Mr. McKinley can do much either to encourage or to defeat this hope. The appointment of McKenna will certainly be proof of his determination to keep the corporations entrenched in the highest court of the land. And it will be so understood.

Civil Pension List.

In a few years more, if the present civil service system continues, the only way to rid the departments at Washington of an army of useless people will be to create a civil pension list.

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The story of the life work of this giant among men has been often told and is familiar to most readers. The likeness above is probably the best portrait of him yet printed.

It was the world-famed discovery by Prof. Phelps of an infallible cure for those earful ills that result from an impaired nervous system and impure blood which has endeared the great doctor to the world, and made his life an era in the practice of medicine.

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His unusual talent soon brought him reputation and prominence among his professional brethren. First he was elected to the professorship of anatomy and surgery in the Vermont University. Next he was appointed lecturer on materia medica and medical botany in Dartmouth College. The next year he was chosen professor of the chair then vacated by Prof. Robby, and occupied the chair, the most important one in the country, at the time when he first formulated his most remarkable prescription.

In view of the overwhelming testimony to the value of Paine's celery compound that has recently appeared from men and women of national reputation, the picture of Prof. Phelps is particularly interesting.

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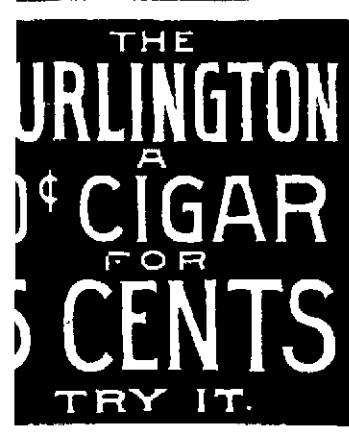
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ERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.

day school at 9 a. m. Preach-

ing at 10 a. m.; Junior C. E. at 2:00,

evening at 6 p. m. Celebration of

ision Day next Thursday at 7:30

C. BAUM, Pastor.

EST LIMA MISSION CHURCH,

r of High and Cole streets.

ation sermon at 10 a. m., by

J. E. Hott, of Virginia (broth-

Bishop Hott). Sunday school

1. Evening sermon at 7:30.

fall to come to the dedication.

S. F. OVERHOLTZ, Pastor.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH.

W. G. Waters, pastor. Class

at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10

and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school

30 a. m. Epworth League at

1. Rev. J. Chaplin, of Puget

1, will preach in the evening.

ST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,

both street, near southeast

r of west Market street. By

gment the Market Street Pres-

ian Church will worship with

inorrow. Morning service at 10

k in the Congregational church.

service at 7:30 o'clock in the

byterian church. Rev. I. J.

son will preach at both services.

free in both churches. Stran-

and all without a church home!

all invited.

I. J. SWANSON, Pastor.

IN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST,

A. Spill, of Warren, Ohio, will

by the pulpit of the Main Street

ian Church Sunday morning

evening. Subject at 10:30 a. m.

upations"; at 7:30 p. m., "The

Vail." Lord's day school at

1. Seats are free, and stran-

are welcome at all services.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

day School, 9 a. m. Sermon

"The Prohibited Sale," 10 a.

Epworth League, 6:15 p. m.

orial service for Rev. J. L.

s, 7:30 p. m. The converts will

ve Baptism in morning service.

we welcome.

S. BAUMGARDNER, Pastor.

KET ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

ing to the absence of Rev. R. J.

nson, at the general assembly,

congregation of this church will

ip with the Congregational

ch at 10 a. m., and the latter

eration will meet with us at

Rev. I. J. Swanson will preach

th services. Sunday school at

1. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p.

Prayer meeting at 7:30 Thurs-

's EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

CHURCH;

h Union street. Sunday school

a. m. English services at 10:15

and 7:30 p. m. Luther League

30 p. m. English services on

Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

are welcome.

F. W. ROHLFING, Pastor.

CALVARY REFORMED CHURCH,

er of east High and Cemetery

sts. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

aching in the morning at 10:30,

in the evening at 7:30. Bible

ly at 6:30. Evening subject:

Christian Heroism." All are wel-

e. O. HOWNING, Pastor in Charge.

CHRIST CHURCH.

th and West streets. Holy com-

ion at 7:30 a. m. Morning

and sermon at 10 o'clock. Sun-

school at 11:30 a. m. Evening

and sermon at 7:30 o'clock

Rev. D. S. Marfield, of Grace

ch, Avondale, Cincinnati, will

date at all services. All welcome.

C. B. CRAWFORD, Rector.

BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH,

er Main and Vine streets. Pas-

Rev. George Byron Morse, Ph. D.

aching by evangelist G. W. Tay-

at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible

ool at 11:30. Sermon to the Jun-

to Mr. Taylor at 2:30. Y. P. S.

meeting at 6:30. Preaching by

Taylor every night next week.

Songs of the night No. 2.

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Tonic blood purifier and vermifuge.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have
Been or Are Going.

Rev. J. E. Hott is in the city and
will dedicate the West Lima Mission
Church to-morrow.

J. D. Mertz, of Solarville, returned
yesterday from Grand Rapids, Mich.,
where he had been on business.

Mrs. F. G. Curtis, nee Emma Haller,
of Zanesville, is visiting at home and
her many friends for a few days.

Mr. W. Atwood and bride, of Con-

necticut, O., are the guests of her sister,

Mrs. G. A. Woodman, of 137 south
Pine street.

John Link returned last night to
his home at Chickasaw, O., after a
visit with Henry Gast and family, of

north McDonel street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris F. Maurer, of
east Kirby street, will spend Sunday in
Sidney, the guests of his brother,
Will Maurer, and wife.

Mrs. Clara B. Sharp and Mrs. Mary
Bradley, of north Jackson street,
will to Spencerville this morning to
spend the day with friends.

Miss Mary Hentze has returned to
her home in Mechanicsburg, Ohio,
after a pleasant visit with her sister,
Sister Dolores, a teacher in the
parochial schools.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ladden and
son, James, of St. Johns avenue and
Second street, will spend Sunday in
Sidney, the guests of his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Chas. Ladden.

Misses Organthe and Ella Cochran
returned to-day to their country home
after a short visit with their uncle
and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Coch-
ran, of Hughes avenue.

Mrs. Eliza Kennedy and son, Frank
of east Second street, left this morn-
ing for Manassington, W. Va., to make
that place their future home, Mr.
Kennedy being employed in a man-
chine shop there.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Chase returned
Wednesday from visiting his people
in California. They were called
there on account of the serious illness
of his mother, and since their return
have received news of her
death.

IN SOCIETY'S REALM.

(Continued From Eighth Page.)

magnolias being placed about the
rooms with excellent effect. The
ladies assisting in receiving were
Mrs. Wm. Irish, Mrs. Bruce Oyler,
Mrs. C. C. Miller, Miss Timberlake,
Mrs. Davis, Mrs. F. G. Borges and
Mrs. W. A. Campbell, all of whom
helped to make the time pass pleasant-
ly away to the music of their con-
versation, accompanied by the strains
of harmony from the Manhattan
Mandolin Club.

In the pretty dining room old
blue tints, pink bridesmaids' roses
were the principal decoration with
garlands of smilax. The young ladies
in attendance here were Misses Laura Williams, Caddie Faurot and Nannie Francis.

The frappe bowl was well attended
to by a bevy of young buds, namely,
Misses Mildred Townsend, Madge
Mitchell, Kathryn and Harriet Ho-
ver.

Miss Dryfoos, of Fremont, is the
guest of her friend, Miss. Waters, of

north Elizabeth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Redway are enter-
taining Rev. Dwight Marfield, of
Avondale. He will conduct the ser-
vices at Christ church to-morrow.

Thursday evening the hospitable
home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reiche-
lder, of west Market street was
filled with a merry crowd of relatives
and congenial friends, who had come
in response to an invitation from
their genial host to surprise the hostess,
as that evening was the twenty-
third anniversary of their marriage.

Progressive Pedro was enjoyed the
greater part of the evening, after
which fruit, ices and cakes were in
order, followed by the kind wishes of
all and hopes that this happy couple
may live to enjoy many more anni-
versaries.

Wednesday evening the pleasant
parlors of Mrs. James B. Townsend's
home were filled with people inter-
ested in an evening of music, given
by the Aid Society of Trinity church,
under the direction of Miss Waters.

Branches of spring blossoms filled the
air with fragrance and beauty. The
recital was one filled with the follow-
ing pleasing numbers:

1. Rosinet. Overture..... Semiramide
2. Lullaby..... Mrs. Ebersole.

3. Violin Solo selected..... Mr. Frank Grinn.

4. Chopin. (a) Polonaise..... Richmond, (b) Value de Bal..... Mr. U. Richmond.

5. Strelezki..... Mrs. Ebersole.

PART II.

1. Mandolin, Guitar and Piano..... Mildred, Ruth and Barry Townsend.

2. Reading, selected..... Mrs. Bruce.

3. Estabrook..... Mrs. Katie.

4. Daniels Go Where the Mists are Sleeping..... Mr. and Mrs. Ebersole.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Miller, of Har-
rison avenue, will celebrate their sil-
ver wedding this evening.

Norah Lamison.

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THE CHIPMUNK.

How He Housers Himself and Welcomes the Spring.

As the woodchuck sleeps away the bitterness of cold, so in his narrow chamber sleeps the chipmunk. Happy little hermit, lover of the sun, mate of the song sparrow and the butterflies, what a goodly and hopeful token of the earth's renewed life is he, verifying the previsions of his own chaffees, the squirrel chaps, set in the warmest corners of the woodside, with libations of dew and shower drops, of the bluebird's carol, the sparrow's song of spring!

He comes forth from his long night into the fullness of the sunlit day, to proclaim his awakening to his summer comrades, a gay recluse, clad all in the motley, a jester, maybe, no fool.

His voice, for all its monotony, is inspiring of gladness and courage, whether he utters his thin, sharp chirp or full mouthed chack, or laughs a chittering mockery as he scurries in at his narrow door.

He winds along his crooked pathway of the fence rails and forages for half forgotten nuts in the familiar grounds, brown with strewn leaves or dun with dead grass. Sometimes he ventures to the top rail, and climbs to a giddy ten foot height on a tree, whence he looks abroad, wondering, on the wide expanse of an acre.

Musie hath charms for him, and you may entrance him with a softly whistled tune and entice him to frolic with a herd's grass head gently moved before him.

When the fairies have made the white curl of mallow blossoms into cheese for the children and the chipmunk, it is a pretty sight to see him gathering his share handily and toothily stripping off the green covers, filling his cheek pouches with the dainty disks and scampering away to the cellar with his ungrubbed portion. Alack the day when the sweets of the sprouting corn tempt him to turn rogue, for then he becomes a hanged outlaw, and the sudden thunder of the gun announces his tragic fate. He keeps well the secret of constructing his cunning house, without a show of heaped or scattered soil at its entrance. Bearing himself honestly and escaping his enemies, the cat, the hawk and the boy, he lives a long day of happy, inoffensive life. Then when the filmy curtain of the Indian summer falls upon the year again he bids us a long good night.—"New England Fields and Woods."

NOT EXACTLY A BABY.

How a Woman Played a Trick on a Cable Car Conductor.

"John, dear, some one ought to speak to that woman. See, she's smother."

"I'm not running this road. Besides, it's probably her own kid."

"Well, I shall certainly inform the authorities. It's over 15 minutes that dear little thing hasn't had a breath of air. Won't you call the police?"

Of course this dialogue was furnished by husband and wife. Scene—A cable car bound down town. The character spoken of as "that woman" was a female of uncertain age and decided sternness. She boarded the car at Fifty-ninth street. In her arms she carried the "it" referred to in man fashion as "the kid." Tenderly, almost to suffocation, the woman hugged her charge. Not even the end of its tiny nose nor a wisp of baby hair peeped out from the folds of the long cloak. The woman snuggled and cuddled the bundled child, and never an infantile wail or a gasp for breath aroused the wondering passengers to action. When the car reached Thirty-fourth street, "that woman," still hugging her bundle, left the car. The husband and wife followed. The car sped on.

Safe on the sidewalk, the woman paused, shook the folds of the baby's cloak, and deposited on the pavement a long eared, wet nosed, watery eyed spaniel. That was all.

"Well, John, I'm beat," said the wife. "So's the conductor and the company," responded John. "She snuggled the beast and got the best of the company. I was smart enough to mind my own business. Come on."—New York Sun.

Tunneling the Strait of Messina.

Engineering achievements and possibilities, from the modern point of view, are receiving an additional illustration in the case of the projected tunnel between the mainland of Italy and the island of Sicily, plans and details of which, in model, as executed by the Italian civil engineer De Johannis, have attracted much attention at the University of Padua. After thorough and careful studies of the strait of Messina, its varying depths, the nature of the ground and of all other conditions which might assist or interfere with such an undertaking, De Johannis decided that the beginning of the tunnel should be near San Giovanni di Santollo, at the foot of the Aspromonte mountain range, the mouth on the other side to be located on the degli Inglesi plain. The entire tunnel will be nearly two miles long and will consist in the main of two shafts of about 10,000 feet each, descending at a grade not exceeding 32 feet in each 1,000. Such a tunnel is thought preferable to a bridge that would involve such a great span and wind exposure.—Harper's Round Table.

Maryland Rice and Tobacco.

According to the Baltimore News, the farmers of Maryland are becoming interested in the movement for a general cultivation of tobacco and for the introduction of the raising of rice. In earlier days tobacco was grown throughout the state, but for the last half century it has been confined to the counties of southern Maryland. Rice has never been grown in the state, but the recent success with this crop in lower New Jersey has led many to think that it can be profitably taken up in Delaware and Maryland. The yield of rice is from 35 to 50 bushels an acre, and the net profit is said to be from \$25 to \$45 an acre.

Feminine Amenities.

"Is this good face powder?" asked Miss Northside, who was dressing for a party in her friend's room.

"Yes," replied Miss Westpark. "It's good enough for any old thing." "Oh, indeed! Then, of course, you use it yourself."

No need to fear the approach of crop if you have Dr. Thomas' Electro Oil in the house. Never was a case that it wouldn't cure if used at the outset.



HENRY IRVING AS A JOKER.

He and Toole Made a Tipsey Waiter Retire Temporarily.

Sir Henry Irving tells an amusing story of a joke that he, with Mr. Toole and a third party, played some years ago at a Glasgow hotel. After their work they were supping at the hotel, where, says Sir Henry, "there was in the room a high screen. The instant the waiter was gone we commenced operations. We stripped the silverware, of which there was a tolerable supply, from the table and placed it behind the screen. We then opened the window and turned out the gas, and finally all got under the table. We had only to remain in our cramped position a few minutes before we heard the unsteady feet of our friend, the waiter, along the passage.

"The darkened room amazed him and the cold air from the window seemed to strike him with affright.

"Goodness!" exclaimed he, "it's thieves they are. A thecht as much frae the luiks o' them, and frae their gay talk and their laughther. Eh, but I'm a ruined man. A wish a' had nae tae the hole o' that last bottle. Hear! Hear! Thieves! Thieves! Murder! Thieves!" and shouting at the top of his voice he ran out of the room and along the passage.

"The minute he had gone we shut the door, lit the gas, restored the silver to the table and sat round as before, enjoying a quiet cigar. Presently there was a confused murmur along the passage. It grew louder and louder, and in poured a truly motley throng, mostly half dressed, consisting of the manager, two men in bare legs and slippers, and a lady with a blanket, in the alarm of fear caught up, followed by our agonized friend, the waiter. One man was armed with a poker and the other carried a stone statuette ready to hurl at the thief. As they entered we all sat back and looked at them in well feigned amazement, and Toole said to the astonished and bewildered manager, 'Do you always come in this way with your friends when a gentleman asks for his bill?'"—London Telegraph.

Vitally Disqualified.

"That," said the infirmary attendant, "is an exceptionally sad case. That man used to be one of the best barbers in the country, but one day he found himself helpless."

"Indeed!" exclaimed the visitor.

"What was the trouble?"

"He had lost his voice."—Cleveland Leader.

A Helpless Sufferer.

Mothers, do not allow the teething baby to suffer with pains from colic and other bowel disorders, when such a reliable and safe remedy as Dr. John W. Bull's Baby Syrup gives immediate relief and perfect ease to the little sufferer. "I have been using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup in my family for some time, and can say, without any exception, it is the finest medicine for babies suffering from colic. I recommend it to every household. Henry H. Degges, 2229 Tenth St., N. W. Washington, D. C." Dr. John W. Bull's Baby Syrup can be bought everywhere for 25 cents. Always refuse unknown or obscure preparations and demand Dr. John W. Bull's Baby Syrup, a well tried and efficacious remedy for all baby disorders.

He was Doubtful.

"Just think of the advance in medical science in the last generation!" exclaimed Dr. Kallowell, enthusiastically, to one of his patients. "Thirty or forty years ago bloodletting was the favorite treatment for most diseases. Now we scarcely ever—I might almost say, never—bleed a man."

"I am not so sure of that, doctor," replied the patient, whose mind was running upon the last quarter's bill.

Loved the Bottle Before He Had Teeth.

At No. 82 Warwick Ave., Zanesville, O., lives Mrs. R. H. Mills, who relates the following experience: "I have used Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and find it all that it claims to be. Our little boy cut his teeth so hard that he almost had spasms. Bathing his gums with the lotion would relieve him immediately. He knew the bottle better than all others and would cry for it. I advise every mother who has teething children to use Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion." At all druggists, 25c.

From the Postoffice.

The Visitor—My man, what are you in the penitentiary for?

The Gentleman In Stripes—Collecting stamps.

The Visitor—Collecting stamps? Why, what is wrong in that?

The Gentleman In Stripes—Nothing, but dey said I ought to have took the canceled ones only.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

"Be regular and punctual in all things" was one of the old maxims, taught long ago. The last is not forgotten, but the first is scarce remembered, so irregular is the life of most people nowadays. The only corrector of this evil is Simmons Liver Regulator, which keeps the liver active and prevents the ills of irregular living: Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Constipation, etc. It also cures these troubles.

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The Obliging Bankrupt.

Good comradeship may count for much. No man ever typified this better than the Wall street broker who said to his friend the reporter: "I didn't fail until after the evening papers went to press, so that you could have it all to yourself in the morning. Come around in an hour or so, and I'll give you the figures."—Writer.

The home of Timothy Turn, in the parish of Duxton, near Appleby, Westmoreland, England, is the most isolated dwelling place in the three kingdoms. No human being lives nearer than 11 miles.

It is recommended that there should be a regular hour for feeding poultry. It is wonderful how quickly the fowls will know when the time arrives. This is especially so with ducks.

Disordered Liver

AND INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM IN A YOUNG BOY.

Mr. and Mrs. Howse Despaired of Their Boy's Life—He was Compelled to Give up His Studies.

From the Leader, Cleveland, Ohio.

Few boys withstand an illness of so serious a nature as that with which Fred J. Howse was a year ago afflicted. Fred is now fifteen years of age, and attends the public schools. His home is No. 30 Plymouth Place, Cleveland, Ohio, and he is now a picture of pure health and vigor. In the fall of 1895, however, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howse, the former, a well-known business man, whose office is in the Arcade, had almost despaired of saving his life. He had become afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism which affected his entire body, and accompanying that painful ailment were several very severe disorders. When she was requested to describe her son's sickness and his recovery, Mrs. Howse said:

"It was in September, 1895, that Fred was up to the sun in delicate health. It was attacked by inflammatory rheumatism. It was a very acute case for he was confined to his bed, and was unable to move even his arms or legs without bringing on excruciating pain."

"Aside from the rheumatism Fred's liver was in serious disorder, and he used to vomit frequently. He was also subject to fainting spells and altogether he had a very serious sickness."

"We knew, of course, that though the rheumatism was exceedingly painful, it was not necessarily dangerous; the fainting spells and vomiting however alarmed us. Often when Fred fainted he would lay like one dead. His face would become ashen pale

and it was difficult at such times to detect his heart beats. These spells caused Mr. Howse and myself much uneasiness about our boy's condition. We called in a doctor and he prescribed for Fred, but the lad did not seem to improve, so I purchased a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in one of the down town stores. Then for four months steadily Fred took them instead of the medicine prescribed by the doctor and at the end of that period—it was about New Year's then—Fred was sufficiently improved to be able to go out.

"The improvement was slow at first, but it was sure. I had unabated faith in the pills as is evidenced by our continued use of them. It was necessary for us to take Fred out of school on account of his illness, but now he has returned and can join in all sports with his schoolmates, and his health is as good as we could wish. He has never been ill since, and it is pretty safe to predict that he will not be sick again for some time.

"Yes, I have recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to my friends," said Mrs. Howse in reply to a question, "and many of them have tried them since." I first read of the pills in the newspapers.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People contain all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., at 50c per box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

A PRETTY RESORT.

Winona Assembly Grounds, Eagle Lake, Ind., on Pennsylvania Lines.

A sojourn at Winona Assembly grounds at Eagle Lake, Ind., near Warsaw, on the Fort Wayne Route, will prove a pleasant outing. This delightful resort is the sight of the youngest of the Chautauque assemblies, and its attractions combine facilities for recreation, entertainment, instruction and devotion.

Eagle Lake is a beautiful sheet of water, surrounded by several hundred acres of romantic woodland which covers one stretch of nearly two miles. The lake affords opportunity for aquatic pastimes, the boating, bathing and fishing being excellent. In addition to numerous rowboats there are several pleasure steamers on the lake.

The shady grounds are occupied by many pretty cottages and summer homes of persons who annually enjoy the beauties of the place, strengthening body in the invigorating atmosphere, and enriching the mind by the special advantages the summer school offers.

A fine park has been laid out on the shore of the lake. A large auditorium, amphitheatre, college halls, hotels and restaurant, have also been constructed on the grounds for the accommodation of visitors. There is also a race track, and space set aside for out-door athletic sports.

In addition to the Presbyterian General Assembly, which will be in session on the Assembly Grounds from May 20th to June 2nd, a number of other large meetings will be held on the grounds during the summer of 1897, including the Indiana State Sunday School Convention, Western Association of Writers, Indiana State W. C. T. U., Indiana Y. M. C. A. Encampment, National Medical Society, Boys' Brigade, and Indiana State Christian Endeavor Convention.

Excursion tickets to Eagle Lake will be on sale via Pennsylvania lines during the summer season. Details regarding rates, time of trains, etc., may be ascertained by addressing the nearest Passenger or Ticket Agent of the Pennsylvania Lines, or by applying to F. Van Dusen, Chief Assistant General Passenger Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa. Full information concerning the Assembly and Summer School, cost of entertainment, etc., may be secured upon application to Secretary Sol. C. Dickey, Eagle Lake, Ind.

Train 11 will not run day following 10:45 a.m. holidays. Through coaches and sleeping cars to New York and Boston.

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THE MACHINISTS.

Extracts From the Biennial Report of the Grand Master.

In his address before the biennial convention of the International Association of Machinists, which met at Kansas City, May 3, Grand Master James O'Connell said:

"The unparalleled industrial depression through which we have been passing for several years, with all its severity, causing privation, misery and want in thousands of homes, has tested to the fullest capacity the unmeasured of the entire membership, and the splendid showing of all labor organizations is an evidence that the members have never lost faith in the efficiency and durability of the trades unions to ameliorate their condition. The renewed vigor with which the members are rallying around the unions warrants me in saying that the closing years of this century will witness a tremendous increase in membership all along the line.

"The work of organizing during the past two years has been a very difficult task, owing to the industrial depression and the consequent large number of machinists out of employment.

"Notwithstanding this fact, in connection with organizing the machinists, we have succeeded in establishing 32 new and reorganizing 33 lodges, as follows:

"We have initiated since our last convention 7,717 new members. This, in my opinion, is a very creditable showing and speaks volumes for the efforts of our local lodges in their endeavors to do missionary work.

"We have met with some success during the two years just passed in the direction of a shorter workday—namely, in Lynn, Mass., where our members succeeded in reducing the hours of labor to nine per day without a reduction of wages, affecting 500 machinists. Owing to the extreme depression in trade, no particular fight outside of Lynn, Mass., was made in this direction.

"The following figures show the amount of money collected and distribution of the same by our local lodges for the past two years:

Total receipts from all sources.....	\$125,000
Paid in sick benefits.....	50,750
Loaned to members on cards.....	9,124
Personal loans to members.....	5,489
Paid in local benefits, contributed to local lodges and to other organizations outside of the order.....	9,750
Losses by defaulting officers.....	47,33
For half rent, salaries, supplies, per capita taxes, etc. \$1,481	14
Amount of money in hands of local treasurers.....	45,000
	\$128,000

Treating a question which has of late been causing organized labor considerable concern, Mr. O'Connell said:

"Blacklisting has become very fashionable during the past two years, and a number of our members have been placed under a ban by the great corporations, especially so in case of railroad companies, because of no crime but that the employees dare to assert their rights as free men and refuse to work under unfair conditions.

"The established practice in vogue is that men seeking employment must furnish what is commonly known as a "clearance card" from their last employer, showing that they have not taken part in any labor dispute and are not connected with any labor organization, before they can find employment.

"Has the employer the right to say that men must starve, simply because the employer and employee do not agree upon a settlement where a grievance may exist? I think not. It is inhuman, unjust and a crime against the law of God and man, yet the railroad corporations, mine owners, mill owners, as well as great syndicates, say to their employers: If you strike while working for us, you can never be employed again. And the laws of our country, up to this time, have failed to punish them for this unmitigated crime. It is a relic of past ages, when the branding process was customary, and must be relegated to the rear. You cannot raise your voices too high in denunciation of this most vicious system, and you should, in unmistakable language, declare you will not relinquish one iota of your rights to any man or combination of men in your efforts to baffle down this pernicious practice."

Against Our Labor.

Reports in the Canadian newspapers of the alleged turning back of Canadian laborers by United States agents at Buffalo and Detroit, who desire to earn money in these American cities with which to support their families in Canada, has excited the loyal city council of Vancouver, B. C. to such an extent that it has passed a resolution barring out all United States citizens from employment on the public works here. This shuts off a number of Seattle laborers. The resolutions further say that none but British subjects is eligible, which has angered the ubiquitous Japanese. Other cities in British Columbia will likely follow this example. —Vancouver (B. C.) Telegram.

The Printers' Home.

The last report of Superintendent Clark says that there are 50 inmates in the Childs-Drexel Home For Printers at Colorado Springs. The members of the International Typographical Union have decided to erect an annex for inmates of the home afflicted with tuberculosis or other contagious diseases. The contributions of 40 cents per member, which were made for that purpose last Christmas, it is expected, will amount to about \$15,000.

Italian Immigrants.

In the spring the Italian fancy light turns to thought of America, says the New York Herald, and following that fancy Ellis Island is now overrun with immigrants from Italy, and the life of steamship agents whose vessels bring the newcomers here is made a burden.

More than 5,000 Italians were landed at the island during one week in April.

DIAMONDS OF GOLCONDA.

Marco Polo's Account of Them Heard Like One of Sindbad's Tales.

In St. Nicholas Noah Brooks, telling for the children of today "The True Story of Marco Polo," quotes the following account of the diamonds of Golconda from the great Venetian traveler's narrative:

"It is in this kingdom that diamonds are got, and I will tell you how. There are certain lofty mountains in those parts, and when the winter rains fall, which are very heavy, the waters come roaring down the mountains in great torrents. When the rains are over and the waters from the mountains have ceased to flow, they search the beds of the torrents and find plenty of diamonds. In summer also there are plenty to be found in the mountains, but the heat of the sun is so great that it is scarcely possible to go thither nor is there then a drop of water to be found. Moreover, in those mountains great serpents are rife to a marvelous degree, besides other vermin, and this owing to the great heat. The serpents are also the most venomous in existence, so that any one going there runs fearful peril, for many have been destroyed by these evil reptiles.

Now, among these mountains there are certain great and deep valleys, to the bottom of which there is no access, wherefore the men who go in search of the diamonds take with them pieces of flesh, as lean as they can get, and these they cast into the bottom of the valley. Now, there are numbers of white eagles that haunt those mountains and feed upon the serpents. When the eagles see the meat thrown down, they pounce upon it and carry it up to some rocky hillock, where they begin to rend it. But there are men on the watch, and as soon as they see that the eagles have settled, they raise a loud shouting to drive them away. And when the eagles are thus frightened away, the men recover the pieces of meat and find them full of diamonds which have stuck to the meat down in the bottom. For the abundance of diamonds down there in the depths of the valleys is astonishing, but nobody can get down, and if one could it would be only to be at once devoured by the serpents which are so rife there.

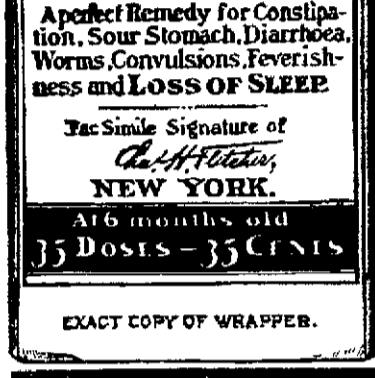
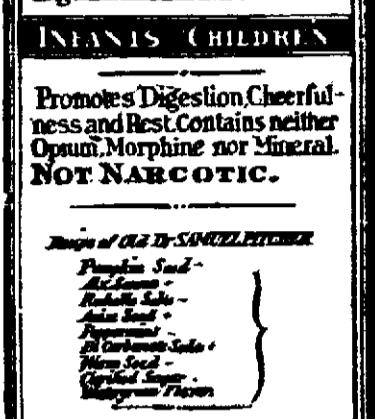
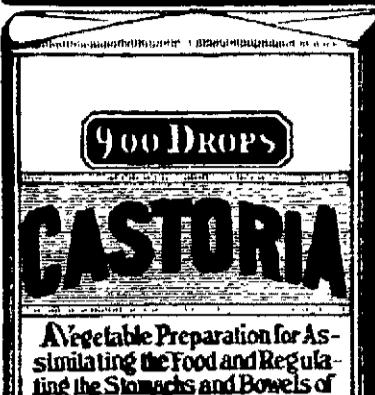
There is also another way of getting the diamonds. The people go to the nests of those white eagles, of which there are many, and find plenty of diamonds which the birds have carried off with the meat that was cast into the valleys. And when the eagles themselves are taken diamonds are found in their stomachs.

So now I have told you three different ways in which these stones are found. No other country but this kingdom of Mithili produces them, but there they are found both abundantly and of large size. Those that are brought to our part of the world are only the refuse, as it were, of the finer and larger stones. For the flower of the diamonds and other large gems, as well as the largest pearls, are all carried to the great Khan and other kings and princes of those regions. In truth, they possess all the great treasures of the world.

Fooled His Rival.

The Philadelphia Record tells this story of a trade war. In order to boom business an enterprising grocer on a certain day advertised several thousand 5 cent loaves of bread for sale at 1 cent each. His rival was in despair until a brilliant idea came into his head. He hired a small army of boys and girls to buy up all the loaves at 1 cent each. At 2 o'clock Grocer No. 1 had sold all his bread, and those who came later denounced him as a fraud, who had fooled them with a lying advertisement. Meanwhile the fox-grocer around the corner, with more than 1,000 1 cent loaves stacked up on his kitchen floor, put out a big sign: "Fresh bread. A 5 cent loaf for 2 cents. We never advertise what we have not got." He thus not only discomfited his rival and turned the tide in his own favor, but made a profit on the bread as well.

But the poor girl had fainted dead away.—New York Journal.



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THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

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TALES OF THE TOWN.

Dr. W. H. Parent, of Lockington, Shelby county, has removed to this city.

Judge Robb has purchased the Pillars property, on west Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanford will entertain the East End Pedro Club next Wednesday evening.

Ivanhoe Commandery, of Van Wert, will attend the funeral tomorrow of the late Mr. Wykoff.

The street railway will open its line to Hover's park Monday evening, by an open air band concert.

W. Mrs. Harriet Metzger will talk to the children at the Home, Sunday afternoon at 2:30. All are invited.

Daniel J. O'Day has purchased the handsome Coe residence on west North street. The sale was made through the G. H. Folsom agency.

Bishop Leonard made a visitation to Geyer last Wednesday evening and administered Holy confirmation to six persons presented by the Rev. C. B. Crawford.

Next Thursday is Ascension day. There will be divine service in Christ church with celebration of the Holy communion at 10 o'clock. The vested choir is expected to be present. The Wednesday evening service will be omitted.

The Rev. D. S. Marfield, rector of Grace church, Avondale, Cincinnati, will make an exchange with the Rev. C. B. Crawford-to-morrow, and will officiate at all services in Christ church. A full attendance of the choir is requested this evening. Rehearsal at 7 o'clock.

Walter S. Parker, son of Warren Parker and aged 15 years, died this morning at 3:30 o'clock from lung trouble, at the residence five miles southeast of Lima. Funeral services will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock Monday, and the remains will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

The statement as given yesterday that Chas. Lipfert and wife had taken charge of the Cambridge House was erroneous, as Mr. Manhard still retains the ownership of the hotel of that name. The house that Mr. Lipfert will take charge of is the former Windsor House, at the corner of Wayne and Tanner streets.

ARCHIE'S TROUBLE.

The Gazette is in the rear of the procession, as usual.

Poor old Archie is in trouble; deep, and trouble of his own. The National Supply Company recently bought from us 2,000 extra copies of the Times-Democrat to be delivered as premiums to their patrons. Hence Archie's tears. They did not buy copies of the Gazette because they wanted a real newspaper, one which the people cared for, and the paper which the people demanded was the TIMES-DEMOCRAT. Now Archie is wondering why he cannot keep in the procession, and threatens to add another hundred papers to the free list to be presented to people who refuse to receive his sheet if it costs anything. Meantime, if anyone wants to buy a few more thousand newspapers to be used as premiums we will always keep ourselves in readiness to furnish them.

LIMA WHEELMEN

Will be the Guests of Detroit Wheelmen on Decoration Day.

The executive board of the Lima Cycling Club is making arrangements to run an excursion to Detroit, Mich., on Monday, May 31st, Decoration Day. This excursion—for the wheelmen and their wives and friends—will be run over the Detroit & Lima Northern, starting from the new Dayton Northern depot at 6:30 o'clock Monday morning. At Detroit the excursionists will be met by the Detroit wheelmen and will be escorted to the principal points of interest. The excursionists will have six hours in the city, which will give the scorcher's plenty of time to ride over the famous Belle Isle course. One of the new D. & L. N. trains will be furnished, and a baggage car will be provided with wheel racks. President Weaver, of the L. C. C., stated to-day that the fare would be \$1.25 for the round trip.

The following committee was appointed by the board of trustees last night to take charge of arrangements for the excursion: W. J. Richie, Robert Parmenter, G. F. Rumsy, H. M. Ashton and W. S. Weaver.

The Price is Down.

Everybody admits that the Times-Democrat job rooms do the best work in the city. In fact it is the only place in Lima where a nice, clean, well printed piece of printing can be done. We employ good workmen and use good stock. And our prices are less than for the shop-work done elsewhere.

Go to King's new Cafe for fine ice cream and strawberries.

HUNGRY MEN

Swarm Upon Spring Street Seeking Employment.

AND THIS IS "PROSPERITY."

"Twenty Men for Every Job," Says a City Official—Plural Scenes Witnessed Along the Spring Street Improvement.

The most pitiful scene that has ever been witnessed in this city during this age of so-called prosperity, was enacted on west Spring street yesterday morning along the line of the improvement that is now underway. The Gazette claims there is work for everybody in Lima, while those who witnessed that scene on Spring street yesterday morning declare that if every man who applied to foreman Skinner for employment had been put to work with shovels behind the steam plows, by this time every square yard of macadam between Main street and Jameson avenue would have been removed and the street ready to receive the concrete foundation. A city official who witnessed the scene stated to a TIMES-DEMOCRAT representative yesterday afternoon that there were twenty men for every job.

The foreman was able to furnish employment to about forty men with shovels and about twenty more with teams. But half an hour before time to commence work the street was lined with nearly fifty teams and an army of unemployed laborers many times the number of men needed, surging to and fro, each anxious to be first to reach the foreman and be sure of work.

SURROUNDED THE FOREMAN.

Finally foreman Skinner appeared, and the army of anxious men made a rush for him. He was surrounded in an instant, and every man was pushing, elbowing and crowding with all his might, each trying to get into the front rank as if the very lives of their hungry children depended upon their success in this great effort to secure employment shoveling stone at \$1.25 per day. Foreman Skinner was almost suffocated in the center of the crowd before he succeeded in getting away. Through the efforts of mayor Baxter the foreman was instructed by contractor Ayers to furnish employment to citizens of Lima first. Employment seekers were prepared for this and nearly all had letters from the mayor or members of the city council identifying them as worthy citizens.

Shovels were furnished by the contractor and foreman Skinner distributed about forty, hoping to thin out the crowd enough that he might escape. The men fairly fell over each other to get within reach of a shovel, for possession of the implement insured them work, and when the supply was exhausted and the successful men withdrew their places were immediately filled with others equally eager and almost desperate in their desire for work. One poor fellow who had been a clerk for a number of years, was crowded to the outside of the surging human circle, and being of small stature and doubtless weak from lack of proper food, sat down in despair and actually cried. "If I can't get work here, I must

GET A SACK OF FLOUR

in some way," he said, while big tears coursed down his cheeks. He had been out of work a long time, and his family was suffering from want of food. The attention of a city official was called to his case. The official interceded in his behalf and succeeded in getting a shovel for him. He worked hard until twenty minutes before the arrival of the noon hour, when he became so weak and ill that he was compelled to quit work. After getting something to eat he braced up again and stuck bravely to his work. Another poor man, whose case was an extremely sad one, was also interceded for and he was told that he could go to work at noon. A friend persuaded the water boy to hide a shovel for him or even that he would have been crowded out again.

Several men came with teams that had been compelled to go half fed all winter, and of those that succeeded in getting work, several were compelled to quit because their teams couldn't pull the heavy loads up the hill to Jameson avenue.

Contractor Ayers is furnishing employment for all the men he can possibly use, and Lima men are always employed first. As soon as portion of the street is ready for the concrete there will be work for probably fifty more men.

Anniversary Exercises.

The Berean Baptist Church was organized May 31st, 1896. In preparation for the celebration of their first anniversary, the year will close with a series of revival meetings to be conducted by evangelist Taylor and wife, who so successfully conducted the winter campaign. Let everybody come to-morrow and all next week. Berean hall, corner Main and Vine streets.

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IN SOCIETY'S REALM

Events of the Week Among Lima's Four Hundred.

A LADIES' CARD PARTY

Given by Mrs. Hathaway—Bay View Club Entertained by Mrs. Emerson Price —Mrs. Terwilliger's Brilliant Reception.

Last Saturday evening a merry party of ladies enjoyed a card party given by Mrs. Hathaway, of east High street, in honor of her guests, Miss Packard and Miss Edna Hathaway, of Ottawa. After a lively contest for the prize, a handsome book, it was awarded to Miss Packard, and then enjoyed dainty refreshments consisting of

Prized Vase, New Fowls, Bread, Olives, Tomato Salad, Wafers, Fruit Gelatine, Pineapple Sherbet, White Cake, Bob Ross, Coffee.

The many friends of Miss Ethel Chamberlain in this city will be interested in knowing that she is to be married to Dr. Arthur Weir Johnson next Thursday evening at the Mt. Auburn Methodist Church. She will be attended by one maid, Miss Annie Griffiths, who is also well known in our city. Dr. Ratchford is to be the best man, and the ushers are all to be married men—Dr. Johnson, Dr. Porter, Dr. Stevenson, Dr. Hal Jacobs, of Akron, and Mr. Will Lemison. The wedding march will be sung by a quartette. A small reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Chamberlain.

An ideal honeymoon is to be spent by this couple, as they are to go to the summer home of Dr. Skene, in the Catskills.

Monday evening Mrs. Emerson

Price entertained the Bay View Club in her usual charming manner. The lesson for the evening was "The Church and Clergy," "The Influence of Religion," "The Position of Woman." At the conclusion of the work all were asked to try a recognition test with faces of thirty modern writers to remember. Mrs. Chas. Stagman proved to be the one with a ready memory, receiving as a reward a beautiful booklet of "Remembrance of Oliver Wendell Holmes." Then followed a dainty luncheon of berries, ices and cake.

The Twentieth Century Club has elected the following officers for next year: President, Miss Burge; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Robb.

The Fortnightly Cooking Club is enjoying a light dye o'clock tea at the home of Mrs. Ernest T. Mitchell, of west Market street, this evening.

The Bay View Club will meet with Mrs. Chas. Stagman, of south Baxter street, next Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Miller was at home to a large number of ladies this afternoon. The pleasant rooms were lavishly decorated with spring blossoms of various hues. Dainty cards contained the following:

PROGRAMME.

Piano Duet—Spring Song..... Mendelssohn

Mendelssohn and Johnston.

Vocal Solo—The Golden Threshold..... Lohr

Krebs

Violin Solo—Arabesque..... Andris

Mrs. Davis

Piano Duet—Paradise and Peri..... Schumann

Mendelssohn and Schubert.

Violin Solo—Gypsy Melody..... Sarasate

Miss Attuchia

Vocal Duet—The Gypsies..... Brahms

Mendelssohn and Kahl.

Piano Solo—Gondola..... Napoli

Miss Wilson

Reading—The Letter..... Bret Harte

Mrs. Lamson

Vocal Solo with violin obbligato—For All

Eternity..... Mrs. Colling

Mrs. Marceron

Piano Solo—Kazan and Arrow..... Rubenstein

Mrs. Flinton

Piano Duet—Last Hope..... Gottschalk

Mendelssohn and Wheeler

Mushroom Patisse..... Pickles

Bread and Butter..... Mayonnaise Tomatoes

Cold Ham..... Wafers

Tutti Frutti Ice Cream..... Maple Cake

Preserved Cherries..... Coffee

GOOD CAPTURE

Made by Chief of Police Capt. Bell Last Evening.

BOLT OF SILK DRESS GOODS

Stolen From Carroll & Cooney's Store, and Bolt of Cloth Taken From Werst & Pfum's—Prisoner Pleaded Not Guilty.

Capt. Bell made a good capture last evening in arresting a smooth individual whom the police consider a dangerous professional thief and whose behavior bears out their suspicion.

About 5 o'clock last evening one of the clerks in Carroll & Cooney's dry goods store discovered that a bolt of silk, thought to be of the value of about \$15, was missing from the counter. A stranger had been seen in the store carrying an overcoat on his arm, but only a meager description could be given of him. However, the police were notified and Capt. Bell and several patrolmen commenced what seemed to be useless hunt for the thief.

About 6 o'clock some of the clerks

from Carroll & Cooney's store saw a man trying the doors of several Main street dry goods stores that had been closed. The man was carrying an overcoat on his arm, and when the clerks started toward him he ran.

Capt. Bell was rounding the corner at North and Union streets on his bicycle when he saw the fugitive run to the rear of the Metropolitan block, and getting up a sprint, he headed the fellow off and captured him.

Under the overcoat, the chief found a bolt of cloth and he started for the police station with his prisoner.

The fellow had about five dollars in money, which he offered to the clerks if they would let him go, and on the way to the police station, he offered it to his captor.

After he had been locked up, Capt. Bell visited Werst & Pfum's tailor shop, and the goods

which the man had had were identified by them.

A wrapping paper, that had been on the bolt of silk,

was found in the alley at the rear of Gooding's shoe store, but the silk is still missing, and is supposed to have either been hidden by the prisoner or given to a partner.

The fellow gave his name as Tom Edwards, and to-day he said his name was Harry Rogers. He also told various stories about how he came in possession of the goods.

This morning he was arraigned before Justice Mowen and charged with stealing the cloth. He pleaded not guilty, was sent to jail in default of bail and the case was set for a preliminary hearing next Tuesday.

Masonic Notice.

Lima Lodge No. 205, F. & A. M.,

will attend and conduct the funeral

service of our late brother Garrett

Wykoff, Sunday at 2:30 p. m.,

escorted by Shawnee Commandery No. 14,

K. of P. Lodge meets at the hall to

make necessary arrangements this

evening at 7:30. By order of

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Plane Duet—Last Hope..... Gottschalk

Mendelssohn and Wheeler

Musical Notices.

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This will be a vestibule train, con-

sisting of an express and baggage

car, smoker, passenger coach and par-

lor car. Arrive at Detroit at 11:30

a. m.